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To: Assistant Commissioner for Patents
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventor: S. TAMATA et al (see attached)

For:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR TREATING
 PERFLUOROCOMPOUNDS

Enclosed are:

10 Sheets of Drawings

This application is being filed without an executed Declaration.

Priority is claimed from Japanese Application No. 2001-075241
 filed March 16, 2001. A certified copy is attached herewith.

Copies of the disclosure documents listed on the attached PTO 1449 form and

discussed in the specification or attached Information Disclosure Statement.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.

Specification: Abstract , Description 33 pages; and 16 claim(s).

Preliminary Amendment.

Executed Declaration.

The filing fee is calculated as shown below:

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Basic Fee		
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